

Cave Springs Fire Dept.

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The Cave Springs Fire Department responded to 36 incidents in February 2016. 162 man hours were utilized for these incidents. Below is breakdown of incidents by type and location:

	Cave Springs	Elm Springs	County	Mutual Aid
EMS	6	8	3	0
Structure Fire	0	0	0	1
Wild land Fire	4	1	0	4
Fire Other	3	0	1	0
Other	0	1	1	3

The Department held its two scheduled training sessions in February. There were 54 man hours of training conducted. Training topics included Personal Protective Equipment and Firefighter escape techniques. The Personal Protective Equipment was taught to newer personnel which is a required certification class, but gave our experienced personnel a refresher. The firefighter escape class taught personnel different techniques to help themselves become disentangled while fighting fire.

We also performed annual pump certification testing on our apparatus. This testing was conducted by a third party to ensure our fire pumps meet National Fire Protection standards.

The department purchased a new hydraulic pump system for extrication. Most people know these as the jaws of life. The new system will be placed on 513. This means that not only does our rescue truck have the ability to perform extrications, but two of our engines as well.